

Jack Haran

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Watercolor artist Jack Haran is the past president of the New England Watercolor Society (NEWS) and past President of North River Arts Society (NRAS). He still sits on the Board of Directors for both NEWS and NRAS. He earned a BS in Fine Arts from Northeastern University and a School of the Museum of Fine Arts Diploma. He has studied with Tony Van Hasselt and Judi Wagner, Zygmund Jankowski, John Kilroy, Alvaro Castagnet and Joseph Zbukvic.



Jack has exhibited in a number of solo, group and juried shows over the last 18 years. These shows have included local, regional, national and international exhibits. His most prestigious award is the Di Di Deglin Award at the 145th American Watercolor Society Show. The painting was also selected for the AWS 2012 – 2013 traveling show. He has received the bronze medal in New England Watercolor Society members show, North River Arts' A. A. Willis Drawing Award (twice), Phyllis Howard Memorial Watercolor Award and a number of honorable mentions, a Juror's Commendation at Duxbury Art Association's Annual Juried Show, and Rhode Island Watercolor Society's National Juried Show Dr. Stanley Ross memorial Award – for traditional painting and honorable mentions (twice) as well as honorable mentions in the Members Show and the All Media Show.

Jack has coordinated watercolor workshops with international artists, i.e. Joseph Zbukvic, Alvaro Castagnet, John Salminen, Don Andrews, Thomas Schaller, and Frank Webb. He has given numerous watercolor demonstrations and taught watercolor classes at the North River Arts Society. Jack is also a skilled draughtsman and has received numerous awards for his works in charcoal.

Jack is a member of NEWS, NRAS, Rhode Island Watercolor Society, Cape Cod Art Association, Plymouth Guild, South Shore Art Center, and the American Watercolor Society – associate Member. His work is part of collections at Georgetown University, Italy, and Cultural Museum in Colonia de Sacramento, Uruguay as well as private collections.



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